

THE AVALANCHE.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

About eight inches of snow on the level.

To-day is the day to "gobble your gobblers."

Sewing machine needles and attachments at the P. O.

Read the new ad. of Messrs. Bliven & Edgcumbe in another column.

Station-agent E. L. Davis made a flying visit to Detroit last Saturday.

No bids were received on Thursday last for the erection of the M. E. church.

Miss L. Henica, of Deerfield, Lenawee county, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. S. Edgcumbe.

Miller Bros. patent process flour at Finn's, only \$6. If you want nice bread try a barrel or a sack.

Geo. Comer, who has been absent from the city during the summer, made his appearance again Tuesday.

Mrs. McKinley, mother to H. C. McKinley, was the guest of Mrs. Wm. A. Masters during the past week.

Headquarters for school books and stationery at the P. O.

We are now issuing, in supplement form, beginning with last week's edition, Crawford county delinquent tax sales.

Say! Did you know that the place to buy holiday goods is at Finn's? A large stock to select from and prices very low.

The first literary and musical entertainment for the season, by the G. L. & P. Society, will be given at the opera house next week Friday evening. A pleasant programme is anticipated.

Mr. Fred Young, from Ohio, who with his family arrived in this city about three weeks ago and have been living in Mrs. Russell's house, has purchased on sec. 8, 27 n. 2 w. and will make arrangements to move thereon soon.

Some miserable wretch who deserves death has distributed poisoned meat along the highway in the vicinity of the North Branch. A valuable shepherd dog belonging to Albert Lovejoy died from its effect, and a coach dog belonging to Dr. Niles was very sick but has recovered.

More holiday goods at Finn's the last of the week. Don't fail to call and see them. No trouble to show goods.

Last Tuesday evening being the anniversary of the birthday of Rev. S. Edgcumbe, the friends of that gentleman met him and his wife with a genuine surprise party at the residence of Wm. A. Masters, where a most enjoyable time was had and a number of valuable presents testified to the esteem of his flock.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to me are requested to call during the month of December to settle their accounts, either by note or cash, as I desire to balance all accounts before January 1, 1883. By doing this you will do me a great favor, as I have learned that "long accounts make bad friends."

Thanking the public for the liberal patronage I have received in the past, I hope by honorable dealing to be considered as worthy in the future.

Respy, J. MAURICE FINN.

DEER GATHERINGS.

A party of four Ohio gentlemen, who have been hunting in this immediate vicinity for the past two weeks, came in Monday bringing with them 28 deer and one bear—all dead, of course.

H. Brown arrived home Tuesday from his deer-hunting. He killed 18 while out.

Levi Clement succeeded in capturing five of the innocents during last week.

The party of four who came in on Saturday last, and who had been out for over two weeks, only bagged three. Evidently they were "greenies."

Merchant J. M. Finn went over on the Manistee a day or two last week. He reports "nary."

Shoppenneguns and family made their appearance Tuesday. We have not learned the number they succeeded in bagging, but understand it is a "right smart heap, I reckon."

The party of four encamped on the Fuller farm go away with 24 deer and one bear.

WANTED.

I want to purchase a light span of horses or a young yoke of oxen, for which I would like to pay part cash and the balance in village property in Grayling; but will pay all cash if necessary. Call on or address Wm. Brink, Grayling, Mich.

NOTICE.

I hereby give to the tax-payers of the township of Maple Forest, that I will be at my residence every Friday after the first of December, 1882, for the purpose of receiving the taxes of said township.

JEREMIAH SHERMAN.

Maple Forest, Nov. 21, 1882.

A NEWSPAPER REVOLUTION.

The Toledo Weekly Blade (Nashby's paper) has reduced its price to One Dollar. For so large a paper, this is the boldest step in the history of journalism. Everybody should take it. It is the best and cheapest paper in the world. Nashby's Letters from Europe are worth more than the price of the paper. Send for a specimen. See advertisement elsewhere.

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BEAVER CREEK

Nov. 22d 1882.

EDITOR AVALANCHE:

As I have not seen anything from the pen of your correspondent in this locality, I will take the privilege of sending you a few items.

Notwithstanding we have had splendid fall weather, several of our farmers yet have corn fodder standing out, which looks and speaks very badly for them. Winter wheat looks fine. Last year's crop yielded about 12 bushels per acre; buckwheat from 12 to 15; potatoes were a poor crop with some; corn, in places, was good—according to cultivation and time of planting.

Farmer J. P. Hanna raised 14 acres white Russian spring wheat that was very fair. He has not threshed yet, but thinks it will yield 20 bushels per acre, and from 100 pounds sowing.

I would say to the farmers of Beaver Creek, and also of Crawford county, do not think you will waste money by sowing a few barrels of salt on your wheat, as by so doing you will get more than double your money back.

Farmer Cheney W. Hall has built a new house 18x22. His oldest daughter's birthday occurred Nov. 15th, and according to promise she made a quilting party. After quilting once around the fun commenced; games and plays of all kinds were had until supper time. After supper the young folks (and some of the older ones, too) tripped the light fantastic. There were 34 to supper. The culinary department was presided over by Mrs. S. Martin. Misses, assisted by Mrs. Hall and Miss Anna Quince. May the daughter live to see many more bright, sunshiny and happy birthdays.

FREDERICVILLE.

November 27th, 1882.

EDITOR AVALANCHE:

We are far from being dead, though you have not heard much from us of late.

If you want to see a town that has made healthy, if not rapid, advancement in the last four years, look at us. Our business men seem to thrive, and we will soon have an addition to that number in the person of D. Wilson, of Otsego Lake, who is building a commodious store, where he will hold forth about the 20th of next month with a general supply of merchandise adequate to the wants of the inhabitants of a farming and lumbering district.

Since the return of Mr. Dilly from the east and south, his house is being pushed to completion and promises to be a neat and presentable residence, adding immensely in appearance to that part of the village. Rumor says (and for once we believe rumor to be correct) that Mark will bring a newly-made Mrs. Dilly to Fredericville where his house is ready for occupancy. Success to him in his new enterprise and may he realize all and more than he anticipates from his investment, is the sentiment of his many friends.

Our hotel under the auspices of our new landlord, J. J. Higgins, is doing a flourishing business, and Jack is now prepared to administer to those who thirst after something stronger than water. We trust he will see that this part of his business is judiciously conducted.

About a foot of the beautiful is between our vision and the sand, and we do not anticipate looking on bare ground again until April.

Hunters have not met with much success this season in shooting deer partly on account of the absence of snow rendering the woods too noisy.

F. L. Barker is about to embark in another R. R. survey, this time from or near Beaver Lake to Alpena.

Mrs. O. G. Chamberlain recently returned from a visit to friends over on the other (G. R. & L.) R. R.

Mr. Davenport has purchased and now occupies the house built by M. S. Dilly, near the railroad track.

Mr. Goss, the mason, is in his own house.

West Wallace has taken up his abode with us and occupies the house of Jas. Ball.

NOTICE.

Whereas my wife, Anna B. Ferguson, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I do hereby forbid any person harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will not be bound by her contracting after this date.

Geo. Ferguson.

Onondago Lake, Nov. 20, 1882.

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F. W. LORENZSON.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The building committee of Grayling school district advertise for bids for the erection of a school building, size 34x50, wing 16x24, two stories, estimated cost \$4,000, with basement and furnace. Bids will be received up to the 15th day of December, 1882. Plans and specifications can be inspected at any time at the office of J. O. Hadley.

The committee reserve the right to reject all bids.

A. H. SWARTHOUT, Sec.

MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed, acknowledged and delivered on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1882, by Archer O. Simons and Lillian C. Simons, his wife, both of Lansing, Mich., to John S. Tooker, of the same place, whereby the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, which said mortgage was in the office of the register of deeds for Crawford county, Mich., in Liber A. of Mortgages, on page 184 and 185, and which said mortgage was, afterwards, and on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1882, duly assigned by the said John S. Tooker to Seymour Foster, by deed of assignment dated and duly executed, acknowledged and delivered on that day, and, on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1882, duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds for said Crawford county, in Liber A. of Mortgages, on page 220, upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of three hundred dollars principal, and interest thereon at the rate of ten percent per annum from the 25th day of October, A. D. 1882, and no payment whatever having been made upon said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding in law or equity having been had or begun to foreclose or collect the same or any part thereof; now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and the statutes in such case made and provided, I shall sell at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, on Friday the 10th day of February, A. D. 1883, at twelve o'clock noon, at the front door of the court house in the village of Grayling, in said Crawford county, said court house being the place for holding the circuit court for said county, the premises in said mortgage described and therein conveyed, to-wit: A certain lot or lots of land, situated in the southwest quarter of section thirty-two (32), in town twenty-six (26), north of range three (3) west, Crawford county, Michigan.

Dated November 29th, 1882.

SEYMOUR FOSTER, Assignee of said Mortgage.

LUKE L. OSTROM, Attorney for Assignee, Lansing, Mich.

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